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SUBJECT: 1977 MEAT IMPORT PROGRAM: CONSULTATIONS

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1. CONSULTATIONS WITH COSTA RICAN GOVERNMENT ON MEAT SHIPMENTS ARE SCHEDULED FOR FRIDAY, MAY 27. CHARGE, IN CONVERSATION WITH FOREIGN MINISTER FACIO TO SET UP CONSULTATIONS, WAS TOLD THAT NO MEAT IS BEING SHIPPED TO THE U.S. MARKET AT THIS TIME.

2. RATE OF SHIPMENT OF MEAT THIS YEAR IS NOT AS RAPID AS APPEARS FROM TOTAL FIGURES. ALTHOUGH COSTA RICA HAS USED UP 40.375 MILLION LBS. OF ITS ALLOCATION FOR THIS YEAR, THIS INCLUDES 16.5 MILLION LBS. OF MEAT CARRIED OVER FROM LAST YEAR. ACTUAL APPLICATIONS FOR EXPORT THIS YEAR THROUGH MAY 22 ARE LESS THAN APPLICATIONS APPROVED THROUGH SAME PERIOD A YEAR AGO.

3. AGATT ESTIMATES THAT COSTA RICAN SHIPMENTS TO THE U.S. WILL BE ABOUT TWO MILLION LBS. IN MAY, THREE MILLION LBS. IN EACH OF THE THREE MONTHS OF JUNE, JULY AND AUGUST. THIS WOULD SUGGEST THAT COSTA RICA WILL USE UP ITS ALLOCATION BY THE END OF AUGUST. KILDAY

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